

Title (en)
METHOD OF PRODUCING MODIFIED VINYL ALCOHOL POLYMER

Title (de)
VERFAHREN ZUR HERSTELLUNG VON MODIFIZIERTEM VINYLALKOHOLPOLYMER

Title (fr)
PROCÉDÉ DE PRODUCTION D'UN POLYMÈRE D'ALCOOL VINYLIQUE MODIFIÉ

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Abstract (en)
Provided is a production method capable of producing a modified vinyl alcohol-based polymer with a high efficiency suitable as a dispersion stabilizing agent for obtaining fine resin particles which have a highly uniform particle size, higher plasticizer absorbability and proper bulk specific gravity, when subjecting a vinyl-based compound such as vinyl chloride to suspension polymerization. A method of producing a modified vinyl alcohol-based polymer having a formyl group at its terminal, including steps of: 1) subjecting a vinyl ester-based monomer to suspension polymerization in an aqueous medium in the presence of one or more halogenated methanes represented by general formulae (I) to (III) to obtain a vinyl ester-based polymer:
$$\text{H} < \text{sub} > 2 < / \text{sub} > \text{CX} < \text{sub} > 2 < / \text{sub} > \cdots \quad \text{(I)} \quad \text{HCX} < \text{sub} > 3 < / \text{sub} > \cdots$$

(II) $\text{CX} < \text{sub} > 4 < / \text{sub} > \cdots$ (III) 2) dissolving the vinyl ester-based polymer obtained in the step 1) in an alcoholic medium; and 3) adding an alkali to a solution of the vinyl ester-based polymer in the alcoholic medium, obtained in the step 2), to cause saponification reaction.

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